

Chapter 8 Section 2

Linear Equations in Two Variables

What is a linear equation? (Chapter 8 Section 2)

An equation that makes a straight line when it is graphed.

Examples:

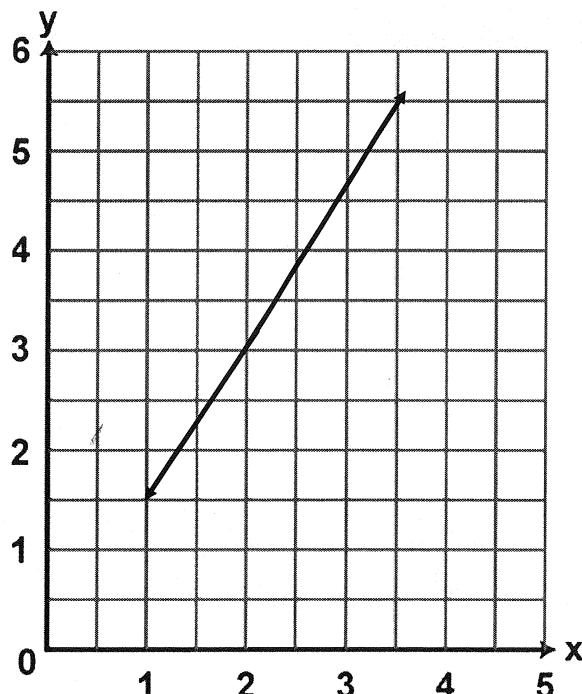
$$y = x + 8$$

$$y = -2x$$

$$3x + y = 20$$

$$y = 5$$

$$x = -3$$



Complete the table of values for $y = x + 2$

HINT

ANSWER

x	y
1	3
2	4
3	5

$$\text{if } x=1$$

$$y = x + 2$$

$$y = 1 + 2$$

$$y = 3$$

$$\text{if } x=2$$

$$y = x + 2$$

$$y = 2 + 2$$

$$y = 4$$

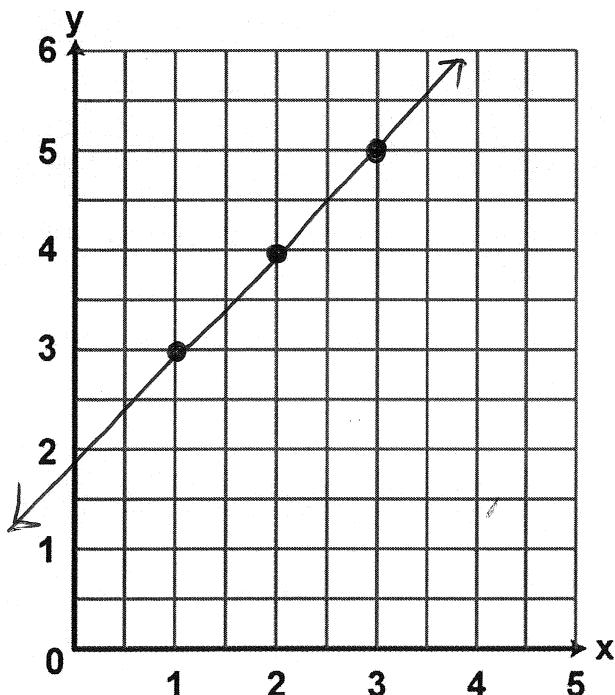
$$\text{if } x=3$$

$$y = x + 2$$

$$y = 3 + 2$$

$$y = 5$$

Graph $y = x + 2$



ANSWER

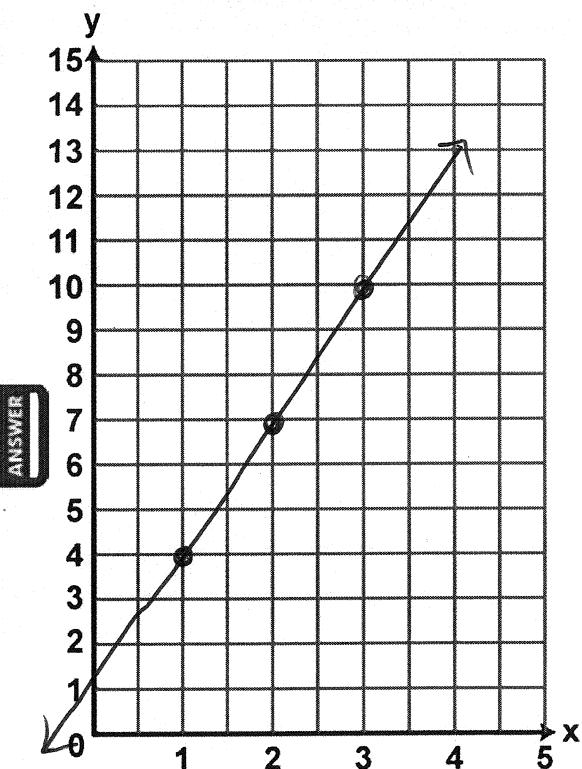
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x	y
1	3
2	4
3	5

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Graph $y = 3x + 1$

HINT



x	y
1	4
2	7
3	10

$$y = 3x + 1$$

CLONE

ANSWER

$$y = 3x + 1$$

$$\text{if } x=1$$

$$y = 3 \cdot 1 + 1$$

$$3+1$$

$$4$$

$$\text{if } x=2$$

$$y = 3 \cdot 2 + 1$$

$$6+1$$

$$7$$

$$\text{if } x=3$$

$$y = 3 \cdot 3 + 1$$

$$9+1$$

$$10$$

Complete these tables

$$y = 5x$$

x	y
4	20
6	30
9	45

$$y = x + 5$$

x	y
1	6
3	8
10	15

$$y = 2x - 2$$

x	y
1	0
4	6
6	10

$$y = x - 1$$

x	y
-2	-3
-1	-2
0	-1

Find the hidden x values

$$y = 5x$$

x	y
4	20
6	30
9	45
?	60

$$y = x + 5$$

x	y
1	6
3	8
10	15
?	17

$$y = 2x - 2$$

x	y
1	0
4	6
6	10
?	18

$$y = x - 1$$

x	y
-2	-3
-1	-2
0	-1
?	7

$$x = 12$$

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$$x \leq 10$$

$$x = 8$$

Choose one of tables below and complete for $y = \frac{1}{3}x - 4$

HINT



x	y
0	
2	
4	

x	y
0	-4
3	-3
6	-2

x	y
-3	
-2	
-1	

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DRAG

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x - 4 \quad \text{OR} \quad y = \frac{x}{3} - 4$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x = 3$$

$$x = 6$$

$$y = \frac{0}{3} - 4$$

$$0 - 4$$

$$-4$$

$$y = \frac{3}{3} - 4$$

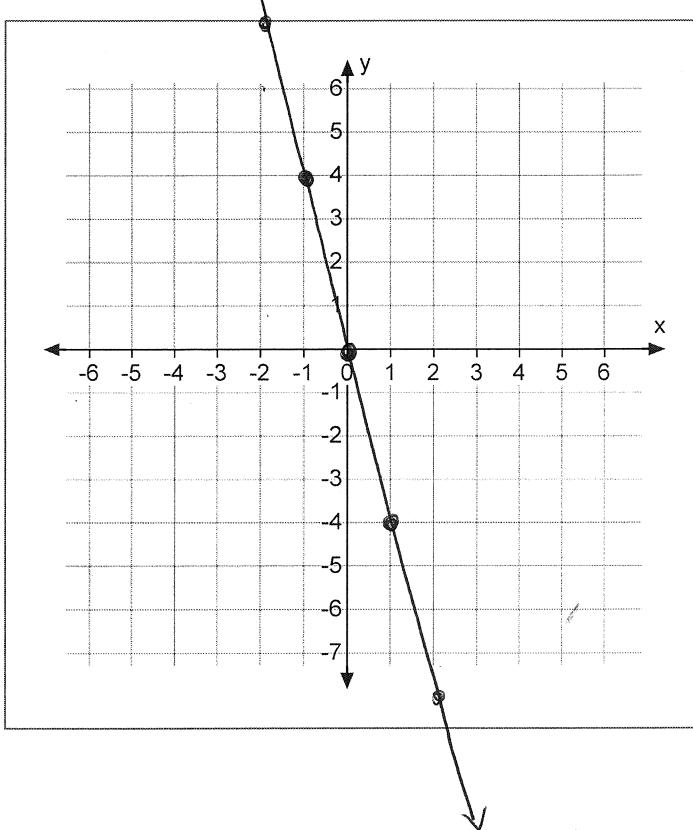
$$1 - 4$$

$$-3$$

$$y = \frac{6}{3} - 4$$

$$2 - 4$$

$$-2$$



$$y = -4x$$

$$y = -4x$$

$$y = 2x + 4$$

$$y = x + 6$$

$$y = -4x$$

x	y
-2	8
-1	4
0	0
1	-4
2	-8